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Veteran state prosecutor is appointed Assistant U.S. Attorney

Stephen G. Dambruch, a prosecutor with the Rhode Island Attorney General's Office for 17 years, has been appointed an Assistant U.S. Attorney for the District of Rhode Island.

Acting U.S. Attorney Craig N. Moore announced the appointment today. Dambruch has been assigned to the Criminal Division.

Dambruch was named a Special Assistant Rhode Island Attorney General in 1987 and became an Assistant Attorney General in 1990. From 1993 to 1994, he was Chief of the Narcotics Prosecution Unit. He later served as the Chief Prosecutor for Kent, Newport, and Washington Counties and then Deputy Chief of the Criminal Division. His most recent position, starting in January 2003, was Chief of the Newport County office.

In 2000, Dambruch was cross-designated as a Special Assistant U.S. Attorney to work with the U.S. Attorney's Office on the prosecution of the case arriving from the carjacking and murders of Jason Burgeson and Emily Shute.

Dambruch is a 1982 graduate of Providence College, where he received a B.A. degree, and a 1985 J.D. graduate of Boston College Law School.

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